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MOTHERS ASK MISS
LATHROP'S RETENTIONDistrict Branch Urges President Not to
Remove Federal Children's
Bureau Head.

OFFICE HELD NOT POLITICAL

The support of the mothers of the Dis-
trict in the fight over the leadership of
the Federal Children's Bureau was
thrown to Miss Julia C. Lathrop, present
head of the bureau, yesterday afternoon,
when the District branch of the National
Congress of Mothers, in session at the
Haleigh, adopted resolutions requesting
President Wilson to continue Miss Lat-
throp in office.

In the resolutions it is urged not only
that Miss Lathrop has not had sufficient
time to complete the programme of work
she has inaugurated and gotten under
way, but that it would be contrary to
the spirit of civility to make a change
in the head of this most impor-
tant bureau at the time merely for the
sake of party interests. Mrs. Harvey
W. Wiley offered the resolution.

Mrs. A. E. Whitaker, of the House-
keepers' Alliance, brought up the mat-
ter of penny lunches for the school chil-
dren. She said that in many of the big
cities the penny lunches have been served
and supported themselves, thus demon-
strating that the problem of "the high
cost of living" is capable of solution.

Better Music Suggested.
It was pointed out that the study of
music is ranked below some of the other
studies in the curriculum of the public
schools, and Mrs. J. P. James urged
the mothers to take some action toward
influencing the Board of Education to
raise the standard of music so that the
pupil who wishes to specialize in that
branch may have the proper course of
study.

Mrs. Fred T. Dubois resigned as chair-
man of the Legislative Committee of the
Congress and Mrs. W. D. Biglow was
appointed by the president to the vacan-
cy.

The programme of the day was devoted
to "Domestic Science." Relative to
the sanitation of laundries, Miss S. C.
Lamb read resolutions urging the mem-
bers to use their influence to better the
condition of local laundries. It was as-
serted that in many of the most un-
sanitary conditions prevail and that the
germs originating there are carried to
the homes of patrons in the "clean"
clothing.

Mrs. W. D. Biglow spoke on the train-
ing school for housekeepers and servants
the congress proposes to start.

WIDOWS' PENSIONS
WILL BE DISCUSSEDDelegates to Forthcoming B'nai B'rith
Meeting Will Consider De-
pendent Children.

The opening session of the District
Grand Lodge, No. 5, of the Independent
Order of B'nai B'rith, will be held in this
city at Eighth Street Temple Sunday
evening, March 20. Delegates from five
of the Southern States and the District
will be present. Monday at 2:30 o'clock
they will be received in the East Room
of the White House by President Wilson.

At the first session addresses will be
delivered by Morris Lanson, of Ashe-
ville, N. C.; C. N. Seidelson, of Atlanta,
Ga.; and the Rev. J. E. Marcum, of
Charleston, S. C. A musical entertain-
ment will conclude the evening's pro-
gramme. Chief of the important mat-
ters to come before the convention is
the proposal to pension widows with
dependent children. Judge Rosenwald,
of Chicago, has proposed that each child
in the Atlanta, Ga., orphanage, whose
mother can be found, be returned to its
mother, and that she be given a pension
sufficient to maintain it.

A banquet will be held at Rauscher's
Monday evening, at which addresses will
be made by Secretary of State Bryan,
Secretary of Commerce Redfield and Sec-
retary of Labor Wilson, and other dis-
tinct members. The convention will con-
clude with a dance and reception at
Rauscher's on Tuesday, April 1.

The officers of the Grand Lodge are
John L. Poyser, president; Lionel Wolf,
of Goldsboro, N. C., first vice president;
Dr. Frank L. Rosenthal, of Columbus,
Ga., second vice president; George Solom-
on, of Savannah, Ga., secretary; Henry
Stemmer, of Greenville, N. C., treas-
urer; and Milton Klein, of Atlanta, Ga.,
sergeant-at-arms. Their successors will
be elected April 1.

Sirius Wolf is chairman ex-officio of
the Committee of Arrangements; Joseph
Strassburger is chairman of the Banquet
Committee; and A. D. Piner, of the
Dance and Reception Committee.

INDORSED BY MOTHERS'
CONGRESS OF DISTRICTMISS JULIA C. LATHROP,
Director of the Children's Bureau.VIRGINIA GOOD ROADS
MEN ELECT OFFICERSAssociation Completes Sessions with
Inspection of Government
Testing Machinery.

The election of officers and an inspec-
tion of the office of public roads of the
Department of Agriculture to examine
the road testing machinery of the de-
partment yesterday afternoon ended the
convention of the Virginia Good Roads
Association, which was in session at the
Haleigh Monday and Tuesday. The mem-
bers left for their homes in the evening.

C. H. Scott, of Lynchburg, assistant
engineer of the Virginia State Highway
Commission, was named president; W. P.
Coker, of Richmond, also of the State
commission, was made vice president;
W. L. Lee, county engineer of Tazewell
County, treasurer; and G. L. Scott, Jr.,
of Harrisonburg, a member of the State
commission, secretary.

The morning session was devoted to
the reading of four papers. C. H. Reeves,
chief chemist of the Office of Public Roads
of the Department of Agriculture, read a
paper on "Bituminous Road Construction."
H. E. Ulbricht, the difference in road
building at the present time and
some years ago, by the use of stereopho-
graph slides.

W. L. Lee spoke on "Organization of
Construction Forces and Reports," and
C. B. Scott on "Road Maintenance." Maj.
Edwin V. Gibson, commonwealth attor-
ney for Culpeper County, delivered an ad-
dress on "Road Building in Culpeper
County."

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN.

Woman's Missionary Society Selects
Leaders at Final Session.

Officers of the Woman's Home Mis-
sionary Society of the Presbytery of
Washington were chosen at the final
session of the meeting yesterday after-
noon in the New York Avenue Presby-
terian Church.

The following were elected: President,
Mrs. T. K. Noble; first vice presi-
dent, Mrs. D. E. Wilber; second vice
president, Mrs. Paul Hickok; third vice
president, A. R. Quaffie; fourth vice
president, Mrs. Townsend; recording
secretary, Mrs. H. S. "Win; correspond-
ing secretary, Mrs. Sheldon Jackson;
treasurer, Miss E. G. Childs; Young
People's secretary, Miss E. Worman;
secretary of literature, Miss Grace Gray;
secretary of Freedmen, Mrs. Jacob
Rever; William M. Paden, former pastor
of the First Presbyterian Church of Salt
Lake City, delivered an address on
"Mormonism."

Statistics show 329,432 more church members in
the United States than last year.

BOSTON SYMPHONY
DELIGHTS MUSICIANSUnder Mastery Leadership of Dr.
Muck, Orchestra Scores
Big Success.

Yesterday afternoon at the New Na-
tional Theater the Boston Symphony
Orchestra gave the last concert of its
series for this season. Dr. Muck fre-
quently affords his audiences in Wash-
ington the opportunity of becoming fa-
miliar with the symphony orchestra, and
yesterday evening's D Minor Symphony,
a comparatively new work, opened the
programme. It is a work moulded in
the true classical structural form, but
departing from the serene pure beauty
of the classic symphonic type in its
highly dramatic content. The entire
work abounds in striking rhythmic fig-
ures, vigorous shadings, dramatic and
unexpected moments, sudden pauses,
short, unfinished themes, and frequent
and distinct modulations. Each move-
ment might be the prelude to a Wagn-
erian opera, so full is it of dramatic
dramatic episodes. It is not pervaded
by graceful themes or melodic beauty,
but rather by an impetuous life and
motion. The crowning difficulty of read-
ing such a work is to give all the
themes their relative importance, and
in this Dr. Muck succeeded in his usual
masterly style—neither making the pri-
mary too emphatic nor the subordinate
trivial.

The second number of the programme
was Richard Strauss' tone-poem, "Don
Juan," the programme presenting the
verses from Lema's poem, the inspira-
tion for this work. There are some
memorably beautiful themes. Such are
the episodes between violin and 'cello,
and between clarinet and horn, the lovely
oboe solo, the coloring is of endless
variety, and of exceeding loveliness are
the melodies.

The orchestral part of the programme
closed with Dvorak's "Carnival" over-
ture, a work that was given here last
week by the Philharmonic Orchestra of
New York. It is a composition sure to
become a favorite, as much so as the
Tannhauser or Tenebris, or the Leonora
overture, or any of the old programme
pieces, for reason of its delightful
rhythmic swing, the breadth and love-
liness of its melodies, and an inherent
life and vigor indefinable, and the pil-
ing up of orchestral effects.

Mr. Otto Ucker, the new violinist,
who came from Europe early this sea-
son, was given an opportunity of pro-
ving his virtuosity and musicianship in
the solo part of the concerto, Opus 36,
for violin and piano, by D'Albort, a brilliant
work full of difficulties that would try
the metal of the most doughty techni-
cian; a work rich, also, with charming
melody.

Mr. Ucker, without any display of
mechanical bravado, rose splendidly to
the manifold technical difficulties of the
composition, and proved himself as well
an artist of exceptional taste and pro-
found musicianship. He sang the melo-
dies with a warmth and mellowness of
tone that will live in the memory of
those who heard him.

BORN MARCH 4: Named for Wilson.

President Wilson has been informed of
the arrival of many young Americans
born in the day of his inauguration,
which were promptly named after him,
but he heard today for the first time of
one who was named after both the out-
going and incoming Presidents, Ernest H.
Taft, of Fulton, N. Y., wrote today that
his son, born at noon, March 4, had been
named Howard Wilson Taft.

STEP NO. 2.

FIRST AID TO THE INJURED
Is often necessary in medicine
to relieve pain.

Acute suffering, due to urgent
need, must be met promptly.
This emergency relief holds
the same place in our service to
the poor that first aid to the in-
jured holds in medicine.

It is often necessary, but never
final in solving the problems of
poverty.

While the Associated Charities
is not primarily an organization
for disbursing alms, it spent,
through the Citizens Relief As-
sociation, \$6,752.15 last year in
"first aid." This takes no ac-
count of "pensions" and other
forms of more or less regular
aid which it organized, amount-
ing to \$16,774.72.

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SPANISH WAR CAMP
GAINING RECRUITSGen. M. Emmet Urell, No. 9, Meets To-
night—Commander Expects to
Mustering in 250 by December.

There will be a large muster of re-
cruits in Gen. M. Emmet Urell's Camp,
No. 9, United States Veterans, to-
night, at the camp hall, Eleventh and
K Streets Northwest.

Commander Charles O. Pierson, of the
Urell Camp, has been informed that the
following named applicants will be
present for muster: Brig. Gen. William
Crozier, chief of ordnance; Brig. Gen.
Hunter Liggett, United States Army;
Hon. Albert B. Fall, United States Sen-
ator from New Mexico; Walter H. Pedit-
so, private secretary to the Secretary
of War; Ernest C. Cullen, of the Technical
Canal Commission; Lieut. William H.
Santelmann, United States Marine Band;
Richard W. Hettinger, of the Army War
College; August Pfeiffer, William G.
Stolt, Victor Trege, Joseph C. Paris,
Clement W. Howard, Paul Taylor, Mar-
tin Penella, Charles L. Magee, sec-
retary American Red Cross; Harry De-
bann, Government Printing Office;
Augustine B. McManus, nautical expert
of the Navy Department.

Commander Pierson states that he will
have a camp of 250 members by the
last day of December next. The camp
has been busy mustering veterans of the
Spanish-American war, who have
never before joined the United Spanish
War Veterans, and who were firm ad-
mirers and friends of the late Gen.
Urell during his life.

The new camp will soon be presented
with a set of silk colors by the officers
and enlisted men of the Second Regi-
ment Infantry, District of Columbia Na-
tional Guard, as a token of esteem in
which they hold the memory of their
late commander.

COMMITTEE WILL
SELECT NEW PASTORAnacostians Will Visit Baltimore to Fill
Vacancy Created by Rev. S. W.
Griffin's Retirement.

Friends of Dr. Joseph J. Mundell ten-
dered him a stag social last evening at
the home of James W. Marbury in MU
View Place, in celebration of his ap-
proaching marriage to Miss Anne May
Swart, which is to take place on Tues-
day evening next. A varied musical pro-
gramme was rendered and toasts were
offered for the future happiness of Dr.
and Mrs. Mundell.

A committee representing the Anaco-
stia M. E. Church is to go to Baltimore
within the next few days to attend the
annual conference to be held in that city
when pastors of the various churches for
the eastern district will be present. This
committee will endeavor to select a
minister that will be suitable for the
local work, as the present pastor, Rev.
Samuel W. Griffin, expects to go to
New York. The committee consists of
Arthur H. Sull, chairman; Samuel R.
Campbell, George W. King, Jr., Charles
F. Linger and R. Lee Seager.

A meeting of the Ladies' Guild of
Emmanuel Episcopal Church was held yester-
day afternoon in the parish hall, with
Mrs. Elizabeth King, president, in the
chair. The guild voted to contribute to-
ward the purchase of flowers for Easter.

The March meeting of the Minnesota
Acme Improvement Association was
held last evening at the home of Dr.
Upton S. Howser, 1018 Minnesota Ave-
nue, with Dr. George C. Havenner pre-
siding.

Promises "Tarheel" New Ship.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels yester-
day assured Commander P. H. Shipp and
Lieut. Charles L. Norton, of the North
Carolina Naval Militia, that he would
endeavor to secure for the North Caro-
lina organization a naval ship better
suited to navigating the shallow waters
of the Carolina coast than the Elfrida,
the present ship, which recently ran
aground while conducting naval mili-
tary exercises. The ship is to be
up to take part in the inaugural parade.
The men never reached Washington at all.

To Cure Constipation.
Don't dose the system with a lot of
dangerous habit-forming drugs. Physicians
everywhere are now prescribing Hoff's
Lemon Soluble, the good-tasting solidus
purgative. All druggists sell it.

Judge Coffey, of San Francisco, has been asked
to administer an estate for the next 100 years,
but may not be able to accept.

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FOR THE BEST
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Seven Keys to Baldpate is an unusually good novel.
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and the plot keeps the reader excited. —New York Sun

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to Baldpate is a story of alarms, excursions, and blue eyes.
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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
OF THEGerman Alliance Insurance Com-
pany of New York.On the 31st day of December, 1912, as required
under the District of Columbia Code, amended
June 30, 1902, and August 19, 1911.

Capital stock \$100,000.00
Capital stock paid up, in cash \$60,000.00

ASSETS.
Cash in office \$250.00
Cash in bank \$24,615.29
Real estate mortgages (first lien) \$3,000.00
Stocks and bonds (market value) \$1,029,174.00
Premiums uncollected and in hands of
agents \$12,327.86
Interest due and accrued \$111.75

LIABILITIES.
Net unpaid claims \$90,574.19
Reserve as required by law \$60,074.14
Salaries, rents, expenses, taxes, &c. \$10,000.00
Commissions, brokerage, &c. \$1,079.00
Capital stock \$100,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities \$12,327.86

Amount of risk assumed and character
of business transacted during the
year 1912: \$218,117,222.00
Losses sustained during the year 1912: \$9,660.45
Money received during the year 1912: \$68,229.16
Expended during the year 1912: \$60,968.81
WM. N. WILSON, President.
C. Y. SMITH, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th
day of January, 1913.
(Seal.) J. HORNER REED,
Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
OF THEAllemania Fire Insurance Com-
pany.Of Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 31st day of December,
1912, as required under the District of Colum-
bia Code, amended June 30, 1902, and August
19, 1911.

Capital stock \$100,000.00
Capital stock paid up, in cash \$20,000.00

ASSETS.
Cash in office \$10,000.00
Cash in bank \$12,500.00
Real estate \$10,000.00
Real estate mortgages (first lien) \$10,000.00
Stocks and bonds (market value) \$10,000.00
Bills receivable \$10,000.00
Premiums uncollected in the hands of
agents \$10,000.00
Interest due and accrued \$10,000.00
All other assets \$10,000.00

LIABILITIES.
Net unpaid claims \$10,000.00
Reserve as required by law \$10,000.00
Re-insurance premiums \$10,000.00
Salaries, rents, expenses, taxes, &c. \$10,000.00
Commissions, brokerage, &c. \$10,000.00
Capital stock \$100,000.00
All other liabilities \$10,000.00

Amount of risk assumed and character
of business transacted during the
year 1912: \$10,000,000.00
Losses sustained during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Money received during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Expended during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
W. A. STEINMEYER, President.
C. F. KELLERMAN, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day
of January, 1913.
(Seal.) W. A. STEINMEYER,
Notary Public.
My commission expires February 1, 1913.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
OF THECitizens' Insurance Company of
Missouri.On the 31st day of December, 1912, as required
under the District of Columbia Code, amended
June 30, 1902, and August 19, 1911.

Capital stock \$100,000.00
Capital stock paid up, in cash \$20,000.00

ASSETS.
Cash in bank \$10,000.00
Real estate mortgages (first lien) \$10,000.00
Stocks and bonds (market value) \$10,000.00
Bills receivable \$10,000.00
Premiums uncollected in the hands of
agents \$10,000.00
Interest due and accrued \$10,000.00
All other assets \$10,000.00

LIABILITIES.
Net unpaid claims \$10,000.00
Reserve as required by law \$10,000.00
Re-insurance premiums \$10,000.00
Salaries, rents, expenses, taxes, &c. \$10,000.00
Commissions, brokerage, &c. \$10,000.00
Capital stock \$100,000.00
All other liabilities \$10,000.00

Amount of risk assumed and character
of business transacted during the
year 1912: \$10,000,000.00
Losses sustained during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Money received during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Expended during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
R. M. RUSSELL, Vice President.
THOS. H. SCOTLAND, Asst. Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day
of March, 1913.
(Seal.) A. H. WHITMAN,
Notary Public.
My commission expires January 4, 1913.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THEDixie Fire Insurance Company,
of the District of Columbia.On the 31st day of December, 1912, as required
under the District of Columbia Code, amended
June 30, 1902, and August 19, 1911.

Capital stock \$100,000.00
Capital stock paid up, in cash \$100,000.00

ASSETS.
Cash in office \$10,000.00
Cash in bank \$10,000.00
Real estate mortgages (first lien) \$10,000.00
Stocks and bonds (market value) \$10,000.00
Bills receivable \$10,000.00
Premiums uncollected and in hands of
agents \$10,000.00
Interest due and accrued \$10,000.00
All other assets \$10,000.00

LIABILITIES.
Net unpaid claims \$10,000.00
Reserve as required by law \$10,000.00
Re-insurance premiums \$10,000.00
Salaries, rents, expenses, taxes, &c. \$10,000.00
Commissions, brokerage, &c. \$10,000.00
Capital stock \$100,000.00
All other liabilities \$10,000.00

Amount of risk assumed and character
of business transacted during the
year 1912: \$10,000,000.00
Losses sustained during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Money received during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Expended during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
P. M. GARNER, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day
of February, 1913.
(Seal.) W. G. DAVIS,
Notary Public.
My commission expires January 4, 1913.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
OF THEVirginia State Insurance Com-
pany.Of Richmond, Va., on the 31st day of December,
1912, as required under the District of Colum-
bia Code, amended June 30, 1902, and August
19, 1911.

Capital stock \$100,000.00
Capital stock paid up, in cash \$100,000.00

ASSETS.
Cash in office \$10,000.00
Cash in bank \$10,000.00
Real estate mortgages (first lien) \$10,000.00
Stocks and bonds (market value) \$10,000.00
Bills receivable \$10,000.00
Premiums uncollected in the hands of
agents \$10,000.00
Interest due and accrued \$10,000.00
All other assets \$10,000.00

LIABILITIES.
Net unpaid claims \$10,000.00
Reserve as required by law \$10,000.00
Re-insurance premiums \$10,000.00
Salaries, rents, expenses, taxes, &c. \$10,000.00
Commissions, brokerage, &c. \$10,000.00
Capital stock \$100,000.00
All other liabilities \$10,000.00

Amount of risk assumed and character
of business transacted during the
year 1912: \$10,000,000.00
Losses sustained during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Money received during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
Expended during the year 1912: \$10,000.00
GEO. L. CHRISTIAN, President.
H. H. HARRIS, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day
of January, 1913.
(Seal.) A. C. WOOD,
Notary Public.
My commission expires March 25, 1913.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
OF THEFidelity and Deposit Company of
Maryland.Baltimore, Md., on the 31st day of December, 1912,
as required under the District of Columbia
Code, amended June 30, 1902, and August 19,
1911.

Capital stock \$100,000.00
Capital stock paid up, in cash \$100,000.00

ASSETS.
Cash in office, rents, branches office \$10,000.00
Cash in bank \$10,000.00
Real estate \$10,000.00
Stocks and bonds (market value) \$10,000.00
Premiums uncollected in the hands of
agents \$10,000.00
All other assets \$10,000.00

LIABILITIES.
Net unpaid claims \$10,000.00
Reserve as required by law \$10,000.00
Re-insurance premiums \$10,000.00
Salaries, rents, expenses, taxes, &c. \$10,000.00
Commissions, brokerage, &c. \$10,000.00
Capital stock \$100,000.00